



INTER-AMERICAN FOUNDATION

60-Day Notice for Assessing Post-Disaster Needs Across IAF Grantees (PRA)

AGENCY: Inter-American Foundation.

ACTION: Notice.

SUMMARY: The Inter-American Foundation (IAF), as part of its continuing efforts to reduce paperwork and respondent burden, conducts a preclearance consultation program to provide the general public and federal agencies with an opportunity to comment on proposed and/or continuing collections of information in accordance with the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995. This program helps ensure that requested data is provided in the desired format; reporting burden (time and financial resources) is minimized; collection instruments are clearly understood; and the impact of collection requirements on respondents is properly assessed.

DATES: Written comments must be submitted to the office listed in the address section below within 60 days from the date of this publication in the **Federal Register**.

ADDRESSES: Send comments to Raquel Gomes, Inter-American Foundation, via email to rgomes@iaf.gov and Jenna Glickman, Inter-American Foundation, via email to jglickman@iaf.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: Natural disasters and shocks, such as hurricanes, earthquakes, and pandemics, tend to be especially harmful for low-income and marginalized populations. IAF grantees across Latin America and the Caribbean often serve as early responders in times of crises, helping their communities cope with the impacts of disasters and shocks. The IAF seeks to have the ability to survey grantees that may be impacted by disasters and shocks to quickly assess how the agency can better support them during such times.

The IAF is particularly interested in comments which:

- Evaluate whether the proposed collection of information is necessary for the proper performance of the functions of the agency, including whether the information will have practical utility;
- Evaluate the accuracy of the agency's estimate of the burden of the proposed collection of information, including the validity of the methodology and assumptions used;
- Enhance the quality, utility, and clarity of the information to be collected; and
- Can help the agency minimize the burden of the collection of information on those who are to respond, including through the use of appropriate automated, electronic, mechanical, or other technological collection techniques or other forms of information technology, *e.g.*, permitting electronic submission of responses.

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